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MERCHANTS,
AND DEALERS IN
Flour, Pork, Bacon, Lard, Fruit,
SALT, LIME, CEMENT AND PLASTER,

Attend to the sale of Oregon Produce in the San Francisco, Victoria and Portland Markets; also give particular attention to the purchase of Merchandise of every description, in the New York, San Francisco, Victoria and Portland markets; and to forwarding goods to, from and to any of the above places.

JAMES R. RICHARDS, 111 Clay street, San Francisco. JOHN McCRAKEN, Steamship Landing, Front st., Portland.
Portland, November 5, 1864. dtf

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(*Successors to A. H. & L. M. Starr.*)
Importers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Stoves, Tin-Plate, Sheet Iron, Copper Wire, Zinc, Tin and JAPANNED WARE.
Agents for the sale of TILTON & McFARLAND'S CELEBRATED
FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFES,
Corner Front and Stark Streets,
nov13 PORTLAND, OREGON. 1y

HENRY LAW & CO.,
Portland,
Produce and Commission MERCHANTS,
Will also receive and forward Goods to our House in UMATILLA.

H. L. & CO. have constantly on hand, and receiving by every steamer from New York, a good supply of
Wagon Materials,
of all kinds, consisting of Hubs, Spokes, Fellees, Buggy Rims, Shafts, Poles, Plough Beams and Handles, Oak, Ash and Hickory Plank, all of which we will sell at San Francisco prices for Cash or City acceptance.
For sale—Three of Townsend's Plantation Mills, for Grinding Flour, Feed, &c., will grind 10 bushels Wheat per hour. Price, $75. no17dtf

E. HAMILTON,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW,
Office on Front St., East Side, cor. Alder.

WILL PRACTICE IN THE COURTS OF OREGON and Washington Territory, and United States District Court for Oregon. My correspondence at San Francisco and East of the Cascades, gives me facilities for COLLECTIONS, which will receive prompt attention.
WILL NEGOTIATE LOANS secured on unincumbered Real Estate—best titles. Persons purchasing Real Estate will find it to their advantage to consult me before closing, as I have an Abstract of Titles to Real Estate, Mortgages and Judgment Liens kept up with County Records.
Papers prepared and instructions given for persons taking claims under the Pre-emption and late Homestead laws. no12dawtf

R. A. LAW & CO.,
Umatilla,
JOBBERS AND GENERAL DEALERS IN
Flour, Grain, Produce,
GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING,
Wagon Timber, &c.,
Also FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
All Goods consigned to our care will be received and forwarded with dispatch. We have one of the best and safest stores in town as regards fire. no17dtf

J. M'HENRY,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE,
LAMPS, PLATED WARE, &C,
NO. 94 FRONT STREET,
nov8 PORTLAND, OREGON. dtf

BOISE COLLECTIONS.
J. M. SHEPHERD,
(Late of Tracy & Co's Express.)
HAVING LOCATED PERMANENTLY IN PLACERville, (Boise Mines), will attend promptly to all collections sent to or left him.
REFERENCES:
Tracy & King, A. D. Fitch. John McCraken, Matthew Keith. n21dtf

GOLDSTONE & BRO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Wharf Street,
VICTORIA, V. I.
SOLICIT CONSIGNMENTS OF ALL KINDS OF MERchandise.
Our extensive business connections throughout Vancouver's Island and British Columbia warrant us in assuring our friends in Oregon and elsewhere, that we can effect quicker sales and make speedier returns than any other house in Victoria.
BANKERS—The Bank of British Columbia.
p20d1y GOLDSTONE & BRO.

D. WM. DOUTHITT,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
IDAHO CITY, IDAHO TERRITORY.
Particular attention paid to Collecting Debts.
By permission, reference is made to
Donahoe, Ralston & Co., John Anderson, Howard, Goeway & Co., H. Webster & Co., A. S. Rosenbaum & Co, Jacob Davidson, D. D. Colton,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. dtf

LANSING STOUT. C. H. LARRABEE.
STOUT & LARRABEE,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
STARK'S BUILDING,
Front Street, Opposite Arrigoni's Hotel.
oc20 PORTLAND, OREGON. dtf

BUCHTEL & CARDWELL'S
PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY,
FIRST STREET, IN SHELBY'S BUILDING.

J. F. M'COY,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW
Office—No. 13 Yamhill Street,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
Collections made and promptly remitted.
Will attend to Drawing Deeds, Mortgages, Contracts, Copying Mining interests, &c. oc25d3m

EDWIN POWELL. GEORGE H. COE.
POWELL & COE,
Forwarding and Commission
MERCHANTS,
UMATILLA CITY, OGN.

PARTICULAR PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO receiving and forwarding goods to all parts of the Mines in Oregon and Washington and Idaho.
Goods remeasured, Freights paid, Storage offered, and all business connected with the Forwarding and Commission Business promptly attended to.
Consignments of Goods solicited.
WE REFER BY PERMISSION,
AT SAN FRANCISCO—Howard, Goewy & Co, Richards & McCraken.
AT PORTLAND—Richards & McCraken, Goldsmith Bros.
At Victoria, V. I.—Goldstone & Bro, Guild, David & Co.
Mark Goods care of P & C, Umatilla.
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H. H. HILL. A. J. KANE.
HILL & KANE,
Front Street,
Umatilla City, Oregon,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Groceries, Dry-Goods, Hardware, LIQUORS,
AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,
STORAGE AND FORWARDING.
Goods consigned to us will meet with proper attention.
References:
PORTLAND. H. W. Corbett, Richards & McCraken, H. Law. DALLES. Robbins & Co, W. C. Moody & Co, O. Humason. se15

Jewelry! Jewelry!
-DIRECT FROM NEW YORK!
P. G. STEWART............G. S. COURLEY.
STEWART & COURLEY,
Are now offering to the Public the BEST and CHEAPEST assortment of
CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
IVORY AND RUBBER SETTS,
(New Style Jewelry;)
A Large and Well-selected Stock of
Silver Plated Ware;
And everything usually kept in our line of business.
AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY.
Particular attention paid to the REPAIRS OF FINE WATCHES, and all kinds of JOB WORK done on short notice by an experienced workman.
Call and see for yourselves.
STEWART & COURLEY,
je2d1y 103 Front street, Portland, Oregon.

Crackers and Bread FOR THE MILLION!
OREGON BAKERY!
STAR BAKERY!

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE to the Public that they have in operation at the OREGON BAKERY their NEW CRACKER MACHINE of the Latest Pattern, just received from New York and are prepared to furnish BOSTON, BUTTER, SODA, PIC NIC and SUGAR CRACKERS, and PILOT BREAD of a superior quality, which they will offer to the Trade at LIVING PRICES. Their
BREAD AND PASTRY BAKERY,
Connected with **FAMILY GROCERIES** will be carried on at both places, where they will be happy to see their friends and supply them with the Staff of Life.
☞ Groceries and Bread delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.
Prompt attention paid to orders from a distance.
OBITZ, SHARF & CO.
Portland, Oct. 14th, 1864. dtf

L. M. PARRISH............J. D. HOLMAN.
CARD.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING ASSOCIATED themselves together as
COMMERCIAL AND STOCK BROKERS,
and also as
Employment and Intelligence Agents,
will give especial attention to the SALE OF REAL ESTATE, RENTING HOUSES, securing employment for those who wish to work in any business whatever.
Will collect and disburse money, and will attend punctually to all Mercantile and other business orders.
OFFICE—No. 107 Front street, opposite the Post Office, Portland, Oregon.
o31tf PARRISH & HOLMAN.

Notice to BREWERS & SALOON-KEEPERS.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND—
MALT, HOPS, IRISH MOSS,
BARLEY SHOVELS, BARREL BRUSHES,
BRASS AND WOOD FAUCETS,
And all other Articles for Brewer's use.
Also, any quantity of
WEINHARD'S LAGER BEER!
So Well and Favorably Known. All of which we are prepared to furnish at PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION
☞ **Orders will be Promptly Filled.**
WEINHARD & DELLINGER,
City Brewery,
Nov. 3d, 1864. d3m Portland, Oregon.

DR. EDWARD DUNSCOMB,
(Graduate of the University of New York. Late Surgeon in the U. S. Army.)
Office—120 Fourth St.,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
OFFICE HOURS—10 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M.
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LEO WOLFF. W. F. TRIMBLE.
WOLFF & TRIMBLE,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Will practice in all the Courts of Oregon and Washington Territory.
Stark's Building, corner of Stark and Front streets.
PORTLAND, OREGON.
☞ **Collections promptly attended to.** ☜
DEUTSCHER ADVOKAT.
Nov. 21, 1864.—d1m n2wtf

MADAM VE CONTE,
FORTUNE-TELLER!
CLEVERLY RELATES THE PAST, CLEARLY EXplains the present, and reliably predicts the future. Do you want to be successful in love or law, then consult Madam Le Vicomte, First street, between Washington and Stark. Consultation fee, $5. aug5tf

DR. J. C. GLENN,
DENTIST.
CAN NOW BE FOUND AT HIS OFFICE IN Portland, fully prepared with a large assortment of superior Dental Materials, just received from New York, to perform all the operations in his line which he may be called on to perform at reasonable rates.
Nov. 9, 1864.

SUNDAY SCHOOL
AND
GIFT BOOKS!
FROM THE AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY AND Massachusetts Sunday School Society. For sale at Messrs Hurgren & Shindler's, First street, near Alder.
G. H. ATKINSON,
Secretary and Treasurer Oregon Tract Society.
nov17dawtf G. SHINDLER, Depositary.

PORTLAND
PLUMBING, GAS & STEAM FITTING
ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 110 First Street,
PORTLAND, OREGON.

ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM the East—
Cooking Ranges,
Hot Water Boilers,
Copper, Tin and Planished
Bath Tubs;
Square and angular Black Walnut Counter-Sunk
Marble Wash Stands;
Cold, and Hot and Cold
WATER SHOWERS;
SILVER-PLATED BASIN COCKS;
MARBLE WASH BASINS;
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS;
HYDRAULIC RAMS;
NON-FREEZING HYDRANTS;
WATER CLOSETS, &c., &c., &c., &c.
☞ Persons wishing to introduce Cold, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental, would do well to give me a call.
Portland, Aug. 3d, 1862. C. H. MYERS.

INTERESTING TO
Mill and Steamboat PROPRIETORS.
I HAVE NOW ON HAND AND FOR SALE—
Wrought Iron, Lap-Welded Tubes
for STEAM, WATER and GAS, from one-eighth to three inches inside diameter. Also,
IRON FITTINGS,
STEAM COCKS;
GUAGE COCKS;
GLOBE OIL COCKS;
Etc., Etc., Etc.
Persons residing at a distance, by making a diagram, with neat lengths and turns of pipe desired, can have them fitted so that any person can put them in place on their premises.
C. H. MYERS,
Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting Works,
ja4 No. 110 First Street, Portland.

BAGS AND COMMISSION.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE IN STORE AND FOR sale in lots to suit—
CHICKEN GUNNIES, for Grain,
POTATOE GUNNIES,
BURLAP BAGS,
ORE SACKS.
REYNOLDS, HOWELL & FORD,
Commission Merchants,
313 and 315 Davis street, San Francisco.
CONSIGNMENTS of PRODUCE, FLOUR and GRAIN solicited, upon which Advances will be made when required, to which we pledge our personal attention.
San Francisco, Sept. 1st, 1864. R., H. & F.

Rail-Road House,
316, 318 and 320 Commercial Street,
SAN FRANCISCO.
THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY begs leave to inform the Traveling Public that he has assumed the entire charge of the above House, and had the same thoroughly renovated, and put in complete order. New Furniture has been added, and he flatters himself that in point of Comfort and Cleanliness, the House will compare favorably with any in the city.
Having made Hotel keeping his business, he will spare no pains or expense to make the
RAIL-ROAD HOUSE,
as Pleasant and Popular a stopping place as can be found in the city, and at much lower rates than respectable accommodations can be found elsewhere.
The Rail-Road House Coach will carry Passengers to the House FREE OF CHARGE.
☞ **Barber Shop,** with Bath Rooms and Steam Baths connected with the Building.
C. E. ROSS.
San Francisco, September 22, 1864. s23d3m

SAMUEL M. GILMORE,
Old Franklin Market,
Cor. First and Taylor Sts.
PORTLAND,..........OREGON.
MEATS DELIVERED TO ALL PARTS OF THE City, on short notice.
I hope all the old Customers and many new ones will give me their trade. Every effort will be made to render general satisfaction.
☞ Give me a call and try me. Leave your orders, and they will be punctually attended to.
se19tf S. M. GILMORE.

D. HEIGHT............W. T. NEWBY.
Union Market,
HEIGHT & NEWBY, Proprietors.
WILL ALWAYS KEEP ON HAND the Best of *MEATS OF ALL VARIETIES,* and other articles in their line
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
Union Market,
South-West Corner of Washington and Second Sts., and
Ankeny Market,
On Front Street.
A liberal Share of Patronage is solicited, as we expect to keep as good an assortment and of as good quality as the country affords, and will deliver the same to purchasers in all parts of the city.
Portland, July 6th 1863. dtf

NOTICE.
Empire Market.
Corner Washington and First Sts., and
Pacific Market,
No. 2, Couch's Addition.
I WILL KEEP ON HAND all the varieties of FRESH AND CURED MEATS that the market affords, for sale at either of the above Markets, at Wholesale or Retail.
Give me a call, one and all, and we will try to make you all satisfied. (je3tf) A. H. JOHNSON.

HENRY MARTIN,
DEALER IN
Foreign and Domestic Fruits,
NUTS OF ALL KINDS,
CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, STATIONERY, CUTLERY,
Yankee Notions, &c.,
No. 108 Post Office Building,
FRONT STREET, PORTLAND
P S—Orders promptly filled. no24

A. BERGMAN'S
Wholesale Candy Manufactory,
FIRST STREET, PORTLAND.
Country Orders Respectfully Solicited.
Portland, October 28th, 1864. dtf

Traps.
100 DOZ. ONEIDA, BEAVER, OTTER and MINK TRAPS, for sale by
E. J. NORTHRUP & CO.,
Importers and Dealers in Hardware, Iron & Steel,
oct14tf Front Street, Portland.

LEGAL TENDER FOR SALE
IN SUMS TO SUIT.
je2tf A. GOLDSMITH BROS.

GROUND SALT!
PUT UP IN NEW 100 POUND SACKS AT $20 per ton to the trade, by
jy4tf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

OPPOSITION TO ASTORIA!
THE WELL KNOWN STEAMER
RESCUE,
E. C. SMITH............Master.
Will commence Regular Trips to Astoria on Monday, March 24th. Leaving Vaughn's Wharf every Monday and Friday morning at six o'clock, carrying the
U. S. MAIL!
Connecting with WILSON'S STAGES at Monticello.
Leaving ASTORIA every Tuesday and Saturday mornings at five o'clock, touching at all intermediate points.
Carrying freight and passengers at
OPPOSITION RATES!
For Freight or Passage, apply on board, or to
F. M. WARREN,
oct21tf at Vaughn's Wharf.

For Astoria!
The Staunch Fast-Running Steamer
John H. Couch,
Capt. CHARLES HOLMAN,
Carrying the United States Mail, will leave Portland every
Monday and Friday Mornings,
at 6 o'clock. Returning, will leave Astoria every TUESDAY and SATURDAY morning, at 6 o'clock, touching at Monticello and all way ports.
STOCK CARRIED at Lowest Rates. n26dtf

OPPOSITION
TO
MONTICELLO & COWLITZ LANDING!
Stock, Freight and Passage at Reduced Rates!
THE STEAMER
COWLITZ
Has been Chartered by the undersigned to run in the above trade, and will make tri-weekly trips, leaving CARTER'S WHARF, Portland, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 6 o'clock A. M., and returning Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Carrying the U. S. Mails.
☞ A GOOD SCOW for carrying Stock is attached to the boat.
Shippers and Travelers will find it to their advantage to apply on board before making arrangements elsewhere.
The COWLITZ has been thoroughly overhauled, Refitted and Repaired, and will be found a comfortable and fast boat.
November 25th, 1864. G. W. THAYER, Captain. dtf

NOTICE.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE, until further notice, the steamer RIVAL will leave Capt. Couch's Wharf, Portland, for Oregon City every afternoon at 2 o'clock. Returning, will leave Oregon City every morning at 9 o'clock.
For Freight or Passage apply on Board.
Sept. 26, 1864.—tf CAPT. BAUGHMAN.

NOTICE.
FROM THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE STEAMER
SENATOR
Will leave Couch's Wharf, Portland, for Oregon City at 7 o'clock A. M. Leave Oregon City for Portland at 1½ o'clock P. M., each day of the week, touching at Vaughn's Wharf both ways for passengers.
Dec 13, 1864.—dtf J. KELLOGG, Master.

Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE until further notice, THE STEAMER
UNION
Will leave Canemah every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings upon the arrival of the Boat from Portland.
Returning every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, connecting with the Boats for Portland.
November 8th, 1864.—tf J. D. MILLER, Master.

EAGLE BAKERY.
GEO. T. MYERS & CO.,
Corner of First and Tayler streets,
Wholesale and Retail Manufacturers of
BREAD,
BUTTER, WATER, SUGAR, BOSTON AND SODA
CRACKERS,
PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.
and all kinds of
FAMILY GROCERIES,
FEED, FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c., &c.
☞ Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City.
Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched. no13dtf

JOHN B. MILLER,
(*Late Miller & Keuhn.*)
Practical Watchmaker.
NEW STORE and NEW GOODS!
IN CARTER'S BLOCK, OPPOSITE PIONEER HOTEL,
STORE ON WASHINGTON STREET.
I WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE Citizens of Portland and the Interior towns, and the country in general, that I have opened my New Store with a very extensive and well selected assortment of
Gold and Silver Watches!
From the most Celebrated Makers,
CLOCKS, OF VARIOUS STYLES,
DIAMONDS, Jewelry and Silver Ware, all of the Latest and most Desirable Fashions.
Particular attention given *CLEANING AND REPAIRING FINE WATCHES,* and satisfaction guaranteed.
Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired at short notice. mar1d JOHN B. MILLER.

G. VENARD'S
CHARTRES COFFEE & SPICE MILLS,
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.
Factory Established in June, 1851.
HAVING RECEIVED THE AGENCY FOR THE above celebrated manufacturers of Coffee and Spices, we are now prepared to supply the Oregon trade with
Fresh Ground Coffee and Spices,
Direct from the Manufactory. Also,
Cream Tartar and California Mustard,
Which we can Warrant Superior to any other Manufactured.
In order to avoid imposition, the purchaser will be careful to observe that each package bears the signature of G. Venard—none other being genuine.
(Signed) A. CAHN & CO.
Portland, Dec. 20th, 1864. dtf

OREGON
State Insane and Idiotic Asylum.
DRS. HAWTHORNE & LORYEA,
PHYSICIANS & PROPRIETORS.
IN PURSUANCE OF A LAW PASSED BY THE present Legislative Assembly, the Oregon State Insane and Idiotic Asylum is located in East Portland, in this county, Drs. Hawthorne & Loryea, Physicians and Proprietors.
The Proprietors of the above Establishment will immediately make additions to their present buildings, in order to offer accommodations to all who are unfortunate enough to need the care and treatment of an Insane or Idiotic Asylum.
It is specially requested of the County Judges, guardians and friends of this class of patients, to have them immediately conveyed to the Asylum, so that they may be properly cared for before the inclement weather sets in.
THE INDIGENT WILL BE SUPPORTED AT THE EXPENSE OF THE STATE, and no accounts will be made against them. For further particulars apply to
DRS. HAWTHORNE & LORYEA,
Physicians of the Oregon State Insane & Idiotic Asylum.
Portland, Multnomah county, Oct. 10, 1862.

Cumberland Coal.
JUST RECEIVED, ex "Samuel Merritt" and for sale in quantities to suit, by KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.

New Columbian,
Nos. 118, 120 and 122 Front st. corner of Morrison.
GOOD NEWS!
THE NEW COLUMBIAN having just been elegantly finished, and being now ready for the reception of customers, the Proprietor would say to the citizens of Portland and the traveling public, that he is now ready to receive and entertain all who may favor him with a call, at PRICES TO SUIT.
The NEW COLUMBIAN is an entirely new house, hard finished rooms well ventilated and well furnished, and has capacity to accommodate (with comfort to the guests) six hundred people.
The DINING ROOM is large and commodious, has five suits of rooms, with connecting doors, for families.
The TABLE will be furnished with the best the market affords, permitting no house to excel it either in quality or variety.
A large fire-proof Safe for the deposit of valuables.—Baggage taken to the Hotel FREE OF CHARGE. House open all night.
Board, per week, $5; Board and Lodging, $7 to $10.
The Proprietor will at all times endeavor to please his guests, and would respectfully and earnestly solicit the patronage of the citizens of Portland and the traveling public. P. D. SINNOTT, Proprietor.
Portland, Oregon, August 5th, 1864. dtf

What Cheer House,
Front St., between Morrison and Yamhill
M. O'CONNER, Proprietor.
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM HIS PATRONS and the public generally that having moved into his
NEW AND SPLENDID HOTEL,
He is now prepared to accommodate any number of persons with Board and Lodging.
Each Room is furnished with entirely NEW FURNITURE, Carpeting, and French Spring Mattresses.
☞ The Table is furnished with EVERYTHING THE MARKET AFFORDS.
The Proprietor would express himself thankful for the continued patronage of the people for years, he would solicit the further patronage of the public, assuring them that no expense or labor will be spared in making this house the most desirable and agreeable Hotel in Oregon.
Good Fire Proof Safe for keeping Treasure, Valuables, &c. This House is OPEN AT ALL HOURS.
Baggage brought from Steamers FREE OF CHARGE.
Portland, May 6, 1864. d&wtf

Pacific Hotel and Restaurant,
(*Formerly Pacific House,*)
OLYMPIA, W. T.,
THE UNDERSIGNED having leased for a number of years the above well known and deservedly popular house, wishes to inform the former patrons of the Restaurant, and the traveling community in general, that having THOROUGHLY RENOVATED the establishment, and furnished the same with entirely new Furniture from basement to garret, she is now prepared to entertain guests in greater comfort and in a more accommodating manner than can be done at any other house in the place.
The house will be kept on the Restaurant principle.
Meals at all hours, day or night.
Having leased the Cottage next door, formerly occupied by Dr. Whitlass, a large number can be accommodated with lodging, good clean beds, and well ventilated rooms.
☞ Give her a call and assure yourselves of the truth of the above. (nov11tf) REBECCA HOWARD.

Mansion House,
(*Formerly What Cheer House,*)
THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN, for the reception of guests, after being thoroughly renovated and newly furnished.
TERMS:

Board and Lodging, per week,............	$6 00
Board without lodging, per week,............	5 00
Board per day,............	1 00
Single Meals,............	25
Lodgings,............	25 to 50

A. CARNEY, Proprietor.
This House is conducted strictly on TEMPERANCE PRINCIPLES.
FIRE-PROOF SAFE in Office for valuables.
☞ Baggage taken to the House free of charge.
Portland, May 10, 1864. dtf

Western Hotel,
Corner of Morrison and First streets.
S. D. SMITH, Proprietor.
THIS NEW AND SPLENDID ESTABLISHMENT is now entirely completed, with a large number of rooms neatly finished and handsomely furnished and ready for the reception of Lodgers.
The RESTAURANT connected with this Hotel is under the immediate supervision of the Proprietor, whose long experience in the business in this city is a sufficient recommendation to the public.
Portland, December 2, 1863.

Umatilla House,
DALLES, OREGON,
HANDLEY & SINNOTT, Proprietors.
THIS WELL-KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN FOR the reception of guests, after having been thoroughly renovated, and newly furnished. It will be conducted in all its departments as a first class hotel.
The House is conveniently near the Steamboat Landing and Railroad Depot.
☞ BAGGAGE TAKEN TO THE HOUSE FREE OF CHARGE.
The Proprietors will not be responsible for any Baggage or Valuables unless a check is given therefor.
Meals, 50 cents—Lodgings, 50 cents.
Dalles, Oregon, Sept. 7, 1864. dtf

Empire Restaurant,
Corner First and Washington Sts.
Mrs. H. M. TROUMBLY, Proprietress.
THIS FAVORITE RESTAURANT has been thoroughly overhauled, repapered and painted, and is now open for the reception of its patrons.
Private Dining Room for Parties.
The Table is always supplied with the best the market affords.

Board and Lodging, per week............	$7 00
Board per week,............	6 00
Single meals,............	50
Lodging,............	50

Portland, July 26, 1864. dtf

Church's Restaurant
No. 106 First street.
GEORGE CHURCH, having established himself as SOLE PROPRIETOR of the above RESTAURANT, would invite his friends and the public generally to give him a call. He intends to have his table supplied with
THE BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS!
And no exertion of his shall be lacking to make a FIRST CLASS RESTAURANT. (o5d1) GEO. CHURCH.

NOTICE.
THE JEWEL SALOON!
Will have from this date
THE FINEST OF WINES & LIQUORS
TO BE FOUND ON THE PACIFIC COAST!
THE ABOVE STOCK HAS BEEN SELECTED BY MR. HARRIS, and it
Cannot be Surpassed on the Pacific Coast.
The Stock consists of all kinds of
FINE WINES, LIQUORS AND SEGARS!
The public are respectfully invited to Test the same.
Portland, Dec 8th, 1864. WILLIAMS & HARRIS.

KELLY'S.
BOARD AND LODGING AT THE HOUSE FORMERly known as the CITY HOTEL, one door east of the Methodist Church.
The best of quarters will find accommodations here.
Board and Lodging per week............$6
Single Meals............
Lodgings............
ALBERT KELLY, Proprietor.
Portland, Dec. 10, 1864. dtf

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WILL INSURE MERCHANDISE AND TREASURE per steamers on the
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H. C. HUDSON............C. H. WILLIAMS............W. F. WILLIAMS.
H. C. HUDSON & CO.,
46 Front Street, Portland,
HAVING BEEN ENGAGED FOR THE LAST TEN years as Manufacturers of Mustards and Spices in San Francisco, have opened a Branch House in Portland for the sale of the Celebrated article of Mustard known as
Hudson's Golden California Mustard,
☞ where the trade will always find a supply on hand.
—ALSO—
Fresh Ground Spices.
The Trade is assured of a No. 1 article at low prices.
Portland, August 1, 1864. dtf

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We would call attention to the following facts in connection with this Machine, which renders it superior to any other in use:
It forms a flat elastic seam which *will not rip in wear;*
It is entirely noiseless;
A patented device prevents its being turned backward;
The needle cannot be set wrong;
Can be used successfully without other instructions than accompany the Machine;
It received the Gold Medal of the American Institute in 1863. For particulars, enquire of
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Portland, Nov. 30, 1864. n4dawly

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HAVING ESTABLISHED THE ABOVE MANUFACtory in Portland, we are now prepared to fill any orders for COFFEE and SPICES, and will prove by a trial that they cannot be excelled in any market. We will offer terms to the trade that will warrant them to patronize a Home Manufactory in preference to sending below for goods in our line, and shall endeavor to prove by our exertions that Oregon need not depend on other sections of the Pacific Coast for anything we manufacture.
Coffee Fresh Ground Every Day.
Portland, Nov. 6th, 1864. d1m

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In VAUGHN'S BRICK, over the CITY OF PARIS STORE.
WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO TAKE SUPERIOR
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Portland, December 1st, 1864. md1o

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(*Formerly Star Bakery.*)
No. 109 First street, between Morrison and Alder streets.
THE UNDERSIGNED ANNOUNCES TO HIS Friends and the public generally that he has bought of OBITZ, SHARF & CO. the STAR BAKERY, and will carry on the
Bakery and Grocery Business,
at the same old stand under the name of
EMPIRE BAKERY!
By strict attention to business he hopes to receive the public patronage. JACOB FREY.
Portland, Dec. 23, 1864. d1m

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AN EXTRA CHOICE LOT OF OREGON BUTTER packed and in brine.
Also a superior lot of NEW ISTHMUS BUTTER, for sale by RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

Seven Hundred Cases
Downer's Kerosene.
JUST RECEIVED, SEVEN HUNDRED HALF CASES Downer's Kerosene, in patent cans. These packages are especially intended for transportation, as they are not liable to leak. We now offer great inducements to the trade. RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
Portland, Nov. 22, 1864. d3m

Notice.
A DIVIDEND OF THIRTY (30) CENTS PER SHARE on the Capital stock of the John Day Gold and Silver Mining Company has this day been declared, payable at the office of the Company, at Portland, on Monday, January 2d, 1865. H. D. GREEN, Pres't.
Portland, Dec. 15, 1864. d2w

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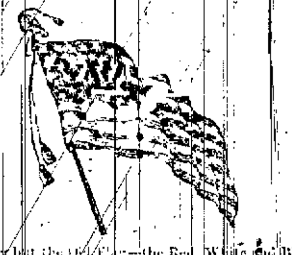

No Flag but the Old Flag—the Red, White and Blue,
With the Stars of the Union unbroken and true;
Arise and defend it! ye sons of the brave,
Whose blood bought the banner your valor must save.

THURSDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 29, 1864.

Oregon Branch Mint.

As some of our cotemporaries in the upper country are noticing our articles upon the Mint, and perhaps misunderstand our position in regard to the interests of Idaho, we will distinctly say that we have never heard any citizen of that Territory pronounce in favor of a Mint at Portland in preference to one at Boise City, nor do we pretend to argue that Portland will suit the Territorians better than that place; but basing an opinion upon considerable experience in that country, and conversation with many persons of intelligence from there, who are deeply interested in mining operations, we believe and assert that Portland is the business point in Oregon, where the interests of Idaho will be best consulted in the location of a Mint, if they are to have their silver and gold minted in Oregon at all: while we also consider that Idaho Territory stands no earthly chance to secure for itself the erection of an U. S. Branch Mint at Boise City. The only Mint now on the coast is located at San Francisco. Even Nevada, with all its wealth, has never yet had a Mint granted it; but recognizing that the growing wealth and importance of the Columbia region, would soon place it equal, if not superior to California and Nevada in its treasure product, Congress has granted a Branch Mint to Oregon, intending to locate it where the wants of our State and the neighboring Territories can be best accommodated in the present and in the future. The Legislature of Oregon has said most emphatically what the wishes of our own State are in the matter, and has expressed an opinion as to the general interests of the upper country; and we claim, that with mineral wealth of great promise developing in the Cascade range, on the borders of the Willamette valley, with the construction of roads in prospect from different parts of that valley, from Umpqua and Rogue river, that will carry a great portion of our home products to the mines direct, and bring back the producers in return, the dust and bullion there tendered in exchange; with a vast extent of mining interests opened up in Eastern Oregon and Northern Idaho, there is no hope that Boise and Owyhee can expect a Mint to be erected just for their convenience, while Oregon and all the rest of the Northern mines shall be left out in the cold.

Therefore our Idaho friends might better ask for a Government Assay Office at Boise City, than to claim more than they can reasonably expect. Whenever Government will accord them a Mint, they are welcome to it. We cannot reasonably insist upon having all the bullion of that region coined at Portland, though in the matter of a "Branch Mint for Oregon," we have very decided opinions, and shall not hesitate to advocate them. Even with a Branch Mint in operation at Boise City, we have an idea that Owyhee would ship her treasure directly here, in preference to paying freight on it to Boise City—which will be equally distant from us—and waiting turns for coinage before its re-shipment.

Many Owyhee ledges, indeed some of the best among them, are being incorporated here, and Portland capital has done much, and will do more, to develope that country. We do not care if Washington Territory secures a Mint for Walla Walla, or if Idaho has the benefit of another at Boise City; we oppose no interests of either one, but claim to know what our own interests as a State demands, and we incidentally argue theirs in connection. We will not object to a fair expression of the Legislative opinion of Idaho, stating their preference, as to the point in Oregon best suited to the business interests of that Territory.

PORTLAND A FAILURE.—Under this caption the Corvallis *Gazette* publishes a communication containing what the editor must have known to be nearly a mass of falsehoods. This town is not "defunct," and this paper does not "devote at least a column every day to its praise." Portland is not "becoming of less and less use every year," and in answer to his question, we will say that if any of our capitalists have withdrawn their means from here to invest elsewhere, no one here knows or cares about it; they are welcome to invest money where they please, and we have no doubt that Astoria even may offer chances for speculation. The article we refer to is a wholesale, contemptible lie, and the author is simply an ass, that, much to our surprise, the "fighting chaplain" lets bray at his expense.

LONG NAP.—The wife of Warren Potter, of Greenfield, Mass., went to sleep on the 21st of October and had not waked up on the 1st of November. Physicians who have visited her cannot account for the disease, and are unable to awake her. A little nourishment is forced into her mouth and her life prolonged.

IN MEMORIAM.—We have to record the death of Eugene F. Skinner, one of the early settlers of Oregon and first residents of Eugene City, which place is, we believe, built on ground located by him as a land claim, and named after him. Mr. Skinner was a much respected citizen whose loss will be felt by many old friends.

HIGH WATER UP THE WILLAMETTE.—S. T. Church, Esq., of the steamer *Onward*, sends us the following:

OREGON CITY, Dec. 28, 6 P. M.—A dispatch received at Salem, at 11 o'clock A. M., says that the water was three inches higher in Eugene City than in December, 1861.

FAIR AT ALBANY.—The ladies at Albany have held a fair for the benefit of the M. E. Church at that place, meeting with good success and having an agreeable time. So says the Albany *State Journal*.

THE wires remain silent yet, and as we we hear of great rains and storms to the South, it is very doubtful whether we shall have a through connection for several days, though we hope for news again to-morrow, and there will be much of it when it comes.

Some of the Lewiston papers have given their eccentric Governor the euphonious cognomen of "Caleb of Calebsdale." The "Third House," not to be outdone in matters of taste and title, style their Governor (James Warren) "James Warren of Warrensdale." These titles spring from Governor Lyon habitually adding "Lyonsdale" to the end of his name; all of which affords excellent amusement to outsiders.—*W. H. Statesman*.

DROWNED.—Mr. S. H. Williams writes us from Chebalis Point that Capt. Frank Wilson, a man well known and much respected in that vicinity, was drowned near the mouth of the Willopa, on Wednesday of last week, by the swamping of his boat. The body was not recovered.—*Washington Standard*.

Letter from Olympia.

OLYMPIA, W. T., Dec. 24, 1864.

EDITOR OREGONIAN:

This is a delightful country for ducks, if an abundance of the element in which that bird [illegible] is an evidence, for it continues to rain with that natural ease and regularity which has characterized this part of the world "from the time whereof the memory of man goeth not back to the contrary." With this I would find no fault, as the laws of nature are wise, just and good; but to a person accustomed to [illegible] and [illegible] skies, the long continued [illegible] this climate is not [illegible] agreeable.

The Legislative Assembly, to-day, adjourned over the holidays to Monday, January 2d, 1865. During the past week [illegible] have been introduced, several of which are of interest to the public. Some of the most important I will here name:

An act to incorporate the Washington Railroad Company,—Peter Donahue, Wm. [illegible] and Alex. P. Ankeny, as corporators. This act authorizes the corporation to survey and construct a [illegible] track railroad over the Cascade portage; the capital stock to be $300,000; the [illegible] to be completed and in running order within eighteen months, or all rights under the charter to be forfeited, and that a bond in the sum of $ [illegible] be given by the corporation to the Territory of Washington, conditioned that the road will be constructed in accordance with the provisions of the act. The bill has passed the House, but no action has been taken upon it in the Council.

An act for the establishment of an Agricultural College in Clarke county has passed the Council.

An act to enforce the specific performance of certain contracts has passed the House. Upon this bill there seems to be a disposition to make it a party issue, the Democrats all voting for the bill, and all the Union men, except Mr. Sexton, of Walla Walla, against it. Should this bill pass in the Council, as it undoubtedly will, it is the opinion that the Governor will veto it, as his head is firmly set against it.

An act dividing the county of Skamania, and annexing it to the counties of Clarke and Klickatat has passed the House.

An act to provide for the imprisonment of Penitentiary convicts of Washington Territory. This act provides that the Governor of Washington Territory may contract with the Governor of Oregon for the imprisonment of convicts. This bill passed the House.

An act repealing "an act to create and organize the county of Ferguson," and annexing the same to Stevens county.

An act to incorporate the Walla Walla and Wallula Turnpike Company.

An act assigning the District Judges—Hon. J. E. Wyche, to the First District, (Walla Walla,) Hon. C. C. Hewett to the Second and Hon. E. P. Oliphant to the Third Judicial District, Washington Territory.

An act to authorize the City Council of Walla Walla to levy a special tax to build an Engine House has passed both Houses.

Some bills of importance to the people on the Sound have passed, which I will not mention in this letter.

The Supreme Court adjourned this week. The following cases have been disposed of: [We have given the report of these cases before.—ED.]

The Ladies' Fair held here last week, for the benefit of the Episcopal Church, was liberally patronized and about $800 dollars taken in.

Yours, abruptly. **

IDAHO ITEMS.—We learn from the *Idaho Statesman* of Dec. 10th that—

Henry Gosh, in coming down from Salmon river, last week, on horseback, had his feet badly frozen. He was overtaken by a snow-storm the first day out, which obliterated the trail, in consequence of which he got lost. He then undertook to find the wagon road, but was belated, and camped out without fire, all night; and though he suffered much, no limbs were frozen by this. The next day, however the storm abating, the weather became intensely cold. Upon reaching the Half-way House, about 11 o'clock A. M., it was found that both his feet were badly frozen. He was brought to Lewiston by the best conveyance at hand. He is now at the private hospital of Dr. F. H. Simmons, receiving all the care and attention possible. It is thought one of his feet will have to be amputated.

A. G. Annibal committed suicide last week, at Rocky Bar, by taking poison. He had recently been appointed Probate Judge of Alturas county, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Judge Law. Deceased was a blacksmith, recently from California. It is supposed that he took this method to settle an account for money that he had lost at gaming.

The snow is reported thirty-three inches deep at Rocky Bar, Alturas county, and five feet at Owyhee. We think the latter figure rather high.

From the *Golden Age* we learn that sleighing was all the go in Lewiston, at the expense of the skating, which was spoiled by the heavy fall of snow. That paper ridicules a bill introduced into the Legislature to incorporate a gas company for Boise City.

Jack Wilson, in jail on charge of highway robbery in Idaho county, had been prevented from escape, after sawing off his irons, digging a hole and displacing the timbers and boards. An amateur dramatic company had organized to pass away the idle winter hours and amuse the Lewistonians. Gov. Lyon had vetoed several "franchise bills." Sensible man, no doubt.

OUR LATITUDE.—Mr. J. H. Slater, of Boise City, took a solar observation at this place last week, to determine the latitude of Idaho City. We learn from him that he has determined the correct figures by several observations, and is certain that it is correct. He places Idaho City in 43 degrees, 46 minutes. This fixes the town a few miles further south than it is laid down on Bancroft's map. This line extended eastward, runs through Minnesota, crossing the Mississippi river near La Crosse and Sheboygan, Wisconsin; thence through the northern portion of Michigan to Toronto, Canada West; thence to Ticonderoga, N. Y., through the White Mountains of New Hampshire to Yarmouth, Maine. That it may be fixed more definitely in our minds by points on the Pacific coast, we give the latitude of prominent towns here, derived from Bancroft's Almanac, 1863: San Francisco, latitude 37 degrees, 47 minutes. The difference is therefore about six degrees. Portland, Oregon, is in 45 degrees, 30 minutes. Walla Walla, approximately, 46 degrees, 3 minutes. Eugene city is in 44 degrees, 3 minutes. Umpqua, on the coast, is in a corresponding latitude with Idaho City.—*Idaho World*.

THE IDAHO SLIDING CLUB.—This famous Club having immortalized itself last winter, is preparing to perpetuate its immortality by carrying on another campaign against any and all other rivals. We observe a pile of lumber already on the ground to be used in repairing and bridging some holes on the Wall street hill. Mr. Cody contributed $25 for the necessary repairs, and other parties have paid up liberally, and they intend soon to be in readiness to extend a challenge to Placerville, Centreville, "or any other man," to meet them upon the slippery grade, and compete for the mastery of the world. The Placerville Club, we understand, has already prepared an immense sleigh with which they expect to run down everything on the track. The race last winter between these two Clubs, at Centreville, was a very exciting episode in the snowy era of that year, and unquestionably the combatants will have an opportunity to fight their battles over again during the season. Meanwhile we shall lay back in our chair, and melt our frozen ink, to be in readiness to make a record of as many broken heads, legs and arms as possible.—*Idaho World*.

MURDER ON WHIDBY ISLAND.—A man named Charles H. Brown was murdered at Miller's Point, on Whidby Island, one day last week. A party of some twenty white settlers in the vicinity, started in pursuit of the murderer, and found a Swinomish Indian and two squaws camped and fortified, who gave battle. The Indian fired a double-barreled shot gun at the party, wounding some four or five, and then attempted to fire a revolver, several of which he had on hand loaded, but before he could do further damage, one of the white men drove a ball through the villain's heart, killing him instantly. Some $200 in coin, and a lot of goods belonging to the murdered man, were found in the ranch. The squaws have been secured for trial by the civil courts.—*Washington Rep., Dec. 21*.

ERRATUM.—We meant yesterday to say that the *Review* charged Judge Shattuck with victimizing Bledsoe, instead of Judge Stratton, which was an error.

Walla Walla Items.

We [illegible] items of interest from the Walla Walla *Statesman* of December 16th:

[illegible] Leonard, living about five miles south of the city, [illegible] Baer, on Friday last, [illegible] Baer, it appeared [illegible] before the coroner's jury had [illegible] an elopement with Leonard's wife, [illegible] house on Friday to consummate [illegible]. While [illegible] Leonard, who had just been [illegible] into the house and sat down [illegible] Baer, insultingly [illegible] that he was going to take [illegible] what proportion of the property [illegible] Leonard [illegible] with him [illegible] but that they [illegible] At this Baer drew a revolver and [illegible] at Leonard and snapped it at him, bursting the cap, but the pistol missed fire. Leonard [illegible] and struck Baer with [illegible] several [illegible] from which he died in a few minutes. [illegible] was arrested and had an examination before [illegible] on Saturday. And all the evidence showing that the [illegible] was discharged, and the community in general justify him in the act. Baer has heretofore borne a good character.

The Columbia river was blocked with ice on Monday last. A boat came to Wallula on Sunday, and left again for the Dalles about an hour after arriving. The boat on her trip up had a hole or two punched into her side while crossing the Umatilla rapids. The river is at a low stage and the ice running in the channel, caused the boat to veer about to escape the floating mass when she struck upon a rock. The boats, however, sustained but little damage. It is thought there will be no boat at Wallula until the channel is again free from ice. A gentleman who came to this place on Thursday of this week, direct from Wallula, says the river was free from ice when he left there. So it is quite likely the boats will be making regular trips again in a few days: they certainly will if the weather does not turn colder than it is at the present writing.

A report has been published in nearly all the papers throughout the country that a lucky miner at Kootenai lately found a nine pound lump of gold, valued at $1,900. A miner lately down from the mines gives us the particulars of the finding, as follows: An Amazon lady of Siwash descent presented her liege with an heir of the above weight, and the report was soon circulated through camp that Tom B—— had found a nine pound lump. Every one took it for granted that the lump alone was gold; and the miners having been pretty thoroughly hoaxed by the story, concluded to have their revenge on the outside world and so expressed the news to their acquaintances below.

The Boise Stage Company's sleigh made the trip from beyond the mountains into the city on Wednesday night. It brought in an unusually jolly lot of passengers, who seemed to be greatly elated over their sleigh-ride. During the night the "Chinook" wind came, and by the following morning there was not snow enough left upon the ground for the sleigh to make the trip back to the mountains.—*W. W. Statesman*.

LADIES' CHRISTIAN COMMISSION.—At a meeting of the Ladies' Christian Commission, Dec. 27th, the following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Ladies are due and are hereby tendered to the Editor and Publisher of the OREGONIAN for the many notices gratuitously published before and during the Fair, and for the bountiful supply of Extras, from the sale of which a handsome sum was received.

Resolved, That to Miss Lisle Lester, the Ladies feel indebted for her valuable assistance, and hereby tender her their grateful thanks.

Resolved, That to Mr. Schram and other gentlemen who kindly assisted in preparing the Hall, to those who rendered valuable services in the Commissary Department, and to Merchants who so liberally furnished supplies, the thanks of the Ladies be gratefully tendered.

F. B. AINSWORTH, Secretary.

DRY GOODS.—To whom it may Concern, we would say that we know of no Store in which Dry Goods and Clothing can be had on better terms than at the Store of Mr. J. WILSON, on Front street. We have been there, and have been so well pleased that we intend to go again. See Advertisement.—*From P. C. Advocate Nov. 5th*. n22-1wtjal

A Valuable Holiday Gift for the household is the Improved EUREKA CLOTHES WRINGER, awarded the First Premium at the Oregon State Fair, 1864. Call and see it at the Warehouse of GEORGE ABERNETHY. d23-1tf*

Harmony Lodge, No. 12, F. & A. M.—Meets on 2d and 4th Mondays of each month, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. M.

EVERY TOOTH THAT ACHES from Exposure of the Nerve will be Permanently Cured, Nicely Filled and WARRANTED to give no further Pain, by C. H. MACK, Dentist, No. 10, Alder street, at the old place of H. H. BLACK. Nov. 8—dtf

MARRIED:

In this city, Dec. 27th, by Rev. B. Rutledge, Mr. Thomas McCaffey to Miss Rosannah McCaffey.

At the residence of the bride's father, in Nisqually Bottom, Thurston county, W. T., on Sunday, Dec. 18th, 1864, by Rev. A. H. Elder, Mr. Stephen D. Ruddell to Miss Amanda J. Packwood.

DIED:

At Roseburg, Dec. 16th, 1864, John S., only son of John S. and N. A. Party, aged two years and eleven months. Missouri papers please copy.

At Cathlamet, W. T., Dec. 21st, 1864, James Birney, Senior, Esq., aged sixty-nine years.

Mr. Birney was one of the oldest pioneers of Oregon, having crossed the Rocky Mountains from the east side in the year 1818. On looking around on Oregon in its present state, one cannot but contemplate with interest the great and varied changes that have progressed during the long pioneership of Mr. Birney, who has oft ascended and descended the Columbia river when its banks were lined with hostile Indians and their wigwams, of which time has not now left a wreck behind; and then traveling was really dangerous. It was both amusing and instructive to sit down and listen to the reminiscences of this country in olden times, and of the various scenes through which he has passed. Mr. Birney, we believe, was the first white man who visited the mouth of the Umpqua in a canoe. He was a generous, kind-hearted man, and will long be remembered with feelings of deep regret by his family and numerous friends. May peace go with him.

Cathlamet, Dec. 23, 1864. T.

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U. S. BOUNTY	$300 00
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Total	$500 00

THE COMPANY IS EXPECTED TO BE MUSTERED in next week, at which time $100 00 will be paid to each recruit. Two dollars will be paid for each accepted recruit, presented at the office, in Carter's Building, corner Front and Washington streets (up Stairs).

F. O. McCOWN, Recruiting Officer.

Portland, Dec. 29, 1864.—dtf

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Dec. 29, 1864.—dtf [illegible] Steward.

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NOTICE.

Delmonico Restaurant.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNDERSIGNED for arrears of Board at the DELMONICO RESTAURANT are requested to call and pay the same on or before the first day of January, 1865, or a list will be published with the name and amount of each. All persons having bills against me are requested to present the same for payment. BARNEY GUTEKUNST.

Portland, Dec. 28th, 1864. d2t

New Year's Gifts.

SINGING BIRDS!

MR. A. STRAUS ANNOUNCES TO THE PUBLIC of this City that he has received by the Steamer *Brother Jonathan*, two hundred

GERMAN CANARY BIRDS!

Goldfinches, &c.,

Which he offers for sale at NO. 3 FRONT STREET.

Dec. 28th, 1864.—d2w

Estate of James Costello, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers within six months from the first publication of this notice to the undersigned, at the Florence Saloon, Front Street.

JAMES KELLY, Administrator.

Portland, Dec. 28th, 1864. d4w

NEW YEAR'S BALL!

THERE WILL BE GIVEN AT THE

PIONEER HOTEL

ON

MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 2D, 1865,

A

MAGNIFICENT BALL!

On which occasion no efforts or pains will be spared to make it one of the

Most Brilliant Affairs of the Season!

Portland, Dec. 26, 1864. 3td

GENERAL MANAGERS.

A. B. Richardson, William Vincent.

MANAGERS.

R. G. Randall,	L. C. Fuller,
Capt. Turnbull,	Jos. Buchtel,
J. W. Cook,	J. W. J. Pearson,
George Amadon,	Chas. Andrews,
John Burns (Salem),	D. R. Wilcox,
R. S. McLeran,	H. H. McCord,

FLOOR MANAGERS.

W. M. Blain, H. H. Johnston.

A. WILLSEY,

108 First street,

HAS NOW ON HAND, AND FOR SALE IN QUANTITIES to suit purchasers—

5,000 lbs. FRESH BUTTER;
2,000 doz. FRESH EGGS;
1,000 lbs. HONEY;

Wanted.

10,000 BUSHELS SHIPPING APPLES;
10,000 bushels OATS;
5,000 bushels POTATOES.

For which the Highest Cash Price will be paid by
A. WILLSEY,
No. 108 First Street.

EVERY REQUISITE FOR A HOLIDAY DINNER can be found at A. WILLSEY'S, No. 108, First street.

KEROSENE OIL AND LAMPS, at A. WILLSEY'S, 108 First Street.

Dec. 29th, 1864.—dtf

SAFES!

SAVE YOUR MONEY, PAPERS AND BOOKS, BY Purchasing one of

TILTON & M'FARLAND'S

CELEBRATED

FIRE AND BURGLAR-PROOF SAFES!

And smaller sizes for Mining Districts, at Agent's rates.

AT FRIEDMAN & CO'S,
Successors to R. M. & L. M. Starr.

Dec. 29th, 1864. d6m2c

Educational.

THE STUDENTS OF TRINITY SCHOOL, OSWEGO, will resume their Studies on Monday, January 2d, 1865. No pupils received under six or over fifteen years of age. d2tc1w

Removal.

H. SAXER

Has removed to

CALIFORNIA WINE DEPOT!

No. 89 First street—Brick Building,

Between Washington and Alder Streets.

WHERE HE HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND THE Largest and Best Selected Stock of

CALIFORNIA WINES

AND

LIQUORS!

Consisting principally of

WHITE WINE, ANGELICA,
MUSCAT, SHERRY,
WINE BITTERS, PORT,
GRAPE BRANDY, PEACH BRANDY,

Also,

OREGON CHAMPAGNE CIDER!

Portland, Dec. 19, 1864. d2w

A Greenback Case!

HAVING BEEN COMPELLED TO ACCEPT OF Legal Tender, on deposit since the 17th day of December, 1862, for the rent of my building, the Brick Store, corner of Morrison and Front streets, I feel compelled to state the facts for the benefit of the public at large, that

Jacob Mayer

Leased the building from on the 18th day of February, 1862, for a term of years, at which time there was no such currency in vogue, and it was understood that the terms were Coin, and I have received the depreciated currency, invariably under protest for the rent of the [illegible].

CITY OF PARIS STORE,

Making less than two-thirds of the real amount said Mayer was to pay. He has secured the building at very advantageous rates, and when we were to be now to compete with his contract and pay in COIN, would be getting the best bargain in the city. I make this statement to show the public [illegible] a man [illegible] must [illegible] to take such undue advantage of the [illegible] to convert a few dollars to himself by LEGAL SWINDLING. The public can readily see what it costs to have such tenants. G. W. VAUGHN.

Portland, Sept. 28th, 1864. 19tf

Merry Christmas and

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

NAUCKE & CO.,

105 First Street.

WILL OFFER to their friends and to the public their fine stock of

CONFECTIONERY,

Consisting of ORNAMENTAL AND PLAIN

FRUIT, POUND AND SPONGE CAKES,

Also, all kinds of

SMALL CAKES, FANCY CANDIES, MOTTOS, TOYS.

Cocoa Nut Cakes, etc.

DO NOT FAIL TO GET A PIECE OF OUR

FRUIT CANDY.

Which is the only Fruit Candy on the Pacific Coast.

CAKES ORNAMENTED TO ORDER. [illegible]

d24tf NAUCKE & CO.

GREAT NEWS

FOR THE

HOLIDAYS!!

JACOB COHEN

HAS JUST RETURNED FROM SAN FRANCISCO with a Large Stock of

VALUABLE AND FASHIONABLE

GOODS!

Selected with great care and designed expressly for

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

Consisting in part of

Ladies' Fine Gold Watches!

Enameled and Set with Diamonds.

Gents' Fine Gold and Silver Watches!

Of American, English and Swiss Manufacture.

LADIES' FINE GOLD CHATELAIN

AND

NECK CHAINS!

Ladies' Diamond Setts and Rings!

GENTS DIAMOND PINS!

And a large assortment of

SOLID SILVER WARE!

Of the Latest and most approved Pattern.

—ALSO—

A Choice Assortment of

FANCY GOODS!

Consisting of

LADIES' WORK BOXES!

Portmonies,

OF PEARL, SHELL, SILK AND VELVET.

FANCY SIDE AND BACK COMBS!

FANS!

OF IVORY AND PEARL—RICH AND FASHIONABLE!

FANCY CARD BASKETS!

ALBUMS—IVORY AND VELVET!

FLOWER VASES!

Gents' Cigar Cases!

Of Ivory Shell and Pearl.

With a variety of other articles that cannot fail to please. All of which I will sell at the

Lowest Prices!

Till after the Holidays.

Please call and examine for yourselves.

J. JACOB COHEN,
No. [illegible] Front street.

Portland, Dec. 21, 1864. d1g1

Hurrah for the

NEW POLKA HALL!

First street, opposite Union Hotel.

THE HALL IS FITTED UP IN HANDSOME STYLE. Pretty Waiter Girls [illegible] customers, and the Saloon will be kept in regular San Francisco style, affording the public an opportunity to spend a pleasant evening. Good Music and the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the Bar.

Portland, Dec. 28th, 1864. CHARLES BLOOM, dtf

Oysters! Oysters!

J. A. FISHER..........CONFECTIONER.

No. 111 Front st.

BEGS LEAVE TO INFORM his numerous friends and the Public generally, that he has Fitted up an

Oyster Saloon

with [illegible] and that he will constantly keep on hand a good supply of the Best and Freshest Oysters, in all [illegible] styles, and also prepared [illegible] Warm Coffee or Chocolate [illegible] of [illegible].

[illegible] d28tf

BROOMS, BASKETS AND PAILS,

Just Received ex Industry

100 DOZ. BROOMS;
100 nests BASKETS;
Large PAILS.

For sale in lots to suit purchasers by

[illegible] RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

A Rare Chance!

I WILL SELL FOR COIN, THE SOUTH 25 FEET of Lot No. 1, in Block No. 7, Front Street, Portland, together with the Valuable Business House and Wharf. J. W. CHAPMAN.

Portland, Dec. 27, 1864. [illegible]

AUCTION HOUSE.

A. B. RICHARDSON,

AUCTIONEER,

Corner of Front and Oak Streets.

AUCTION SALES

OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, GENERAL MERCHANDISE AND HORSES.

Sale Days—Wednesday and Saturday.

aug25 A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

LARGE AND PEREMPTORY SALE

OF

GROCERIES,

GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

Liquors, &c.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1864,

at 10 o'clock A. M.

200 BOXES RAISINS;
200 hf-bxs RAISINS;

ALSO:

100 chests JAPAN TEA;
100 chests CHOICE BLACK TEA;
74 chests GREEN TEA;

ALSO:

20 cases SARDINES (half-boxes);
50 cases OYSTERS;
50 cases LOBSTERS;

ALSO:

10 casks BRANDY;
10 casks SHERRY WINE;

ALSO:

20 cases BRANDY;
10 casks OLD TOM GIN;
100 cases [illegible]

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

CHOICE LIQUORS!

R. HENDRIE,

51 FRONT STREET 51

IMPORTER AND WHOLESALE

Liquor Merchant,

WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE THAT HE has received ex Steamers *Sierra Nevada* and *Brother Jonathan*, the Finest Stock of

WINES AND LIQUORS

Ever offered in this Market, consisting in part of

Fine Old Brandies,

MARTELL BRANDY;
HENNESSY BRANDY;
MURATT BRANDY;

Fine Old Wines:

OLD PORT WINE;
FINE OLD KINGSTON SHERRY;
RHINE WINE;
CALIFORNIA WHITE WINE;

Fine Old Bourbon Whiskies!

CENTURY JACOB VAN HORN'S;
CRANSTON;
J. H. CUTTER'S;
MEADE'S OCCIDENTAL;
WM. T. CUTTER'S;

Cambelton Scotch Whiskey;

Mehan's Irish Whiskey;

Jamaica Rum;

Demerara Rum;

Holland Gin;

Burton Ale and Porter in Casks.

We have also WINES SELECTED FOR MEDICAL PURPOSES, and a General Assortment of Case Goods.

R. HENDRIE,
No. 51 Front Street,
Portland.

Dec. 13th, 1864.—dtf

REMOVAL.

M. LANZENBERG & CO.,

CLOTH IMPORTERS,

(Paris House, 18 Rue Neuve, St. Eustache.)

HAVE REMOVED FROM THEIR OLD NUMBER, 626 Clay street, to their new, elegant and [illegible] Warehouse and Salesrooms,

Nos. 628 and 630 Clay street, and 6[illegible] Merchant street,

Between Montgomery and Kearney streets.

M. LANZENBERG & CO.

Deal largely in all kinds of goods suitable for men's wear, of the newest styles and finest quality.

Broad Cloths, Beaver Cloths,
Doeskins, Cassimeres, Billiard Cloths,
Black and Brown Silk Velvets,
Silk and Cashmere Vestings,
Velvet Vestings, Furniture Plushes,
Hatters' Plushes and Trimmings.

Also the genuine French Velvet Cloth, Plaid C[illegible] Sealskin Velours, and Red and White Cloths [illegible] Ladies' Cloakings, and have a large assortment of Bindings, Buttons, etc., etc.

We feel assured that our friends in the city and [illegible] will find it to their advantage to visit this extensive Cloth House, and make their selections from the elegant [illegible] of fresh goods now being opened.

O'CONNER & Co.

No. 90, First street,

HAVE on hand a choice selection of Goods [illegible] intended for their trade during the coming Holiday season, viz:

BUTTER, choice, fresh Oregon dairy, in rolls, [illegible] and per pound;
BUTTER, for cooking,
LARD, new, in kegs and tins;
CHEESE, California and Oregon, Hathaway's [illegible] in State;
EGGS, received fresh daily from the country;
HONEY, new and white;
CRANBERRIES, fresh Oregon and Eastern;
VEGETABLES, green, of every kind in season, California and Oregon;
VEGETABLES, in cans, Tomatos, Corn, Peas, &c., &c.;
FRUITS, all kinds, Foreign and Domestic;
GAME, canvas-back Ducks, Mallard, Teal, Wild G[illegible]
POULTRY, Turkeys, live and dressed Chickens;
PRESERVED FRUITS, in cans; also
OYSTERS, CLAMS, &c., &c.

Families and Boarding Houses supplied on Reasonable Terms.

WANTED, immediately, a Man who understands packing Apples for Shipping—none other.

A Rare Chance

TO SECURE A

A Good Homestead,

Cheap for Cash!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THREE VALUABLE Improved Farms for sale in Marion county in the vicinity of Davidson's Landing on the Willamette river. For particulars apply at Parrish & Holman's INTELLIGENCE OFFICE, Or on the premises of G. C. DAVIDSON.

Dec. 20, 1864.—d1m

DO YOU ASK WHAT WILL GIVE YOU

WARM FEET

During this Cold Weather!

We answer—Buy a Pair of those

WARM FELT SHOES!

OF

BUTLER, PIONEER HATTER.

Portland, Dec. 9, 1864. d1m2p

DO YOU ASK WHAT WILL

PROMOTE YOUR HEALTH

In this Cold, Wet Climate!

We answer—Buy a Pair of those

WOOLEN FELT SHOES!

AT

BUTLER'S PIONEER HAT STORE.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED has purchased the entire interest of WILSON & STEPHENS in the late firm of HUMISTON, WILSON & CO., and being duly authorized to settle the business of the firm of HUMISTON & MAJDAN, I will pay all claims against said firms on demand, and all persons owing either of the above houses are requested to settle their accounts with me.

C. N. HUMISTON.

Office at J. L. Parrish & Co's Book Store.

Portland, Dec. 17, 1864. 1-2dtf

The Daily Oregonian.

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates [illegible]
New York [illegible]

Bars, Says Bars.—That very intelligent [illegible] of the river obstructions, published at Astoria, flatters itself that we are nearly aground [illegible] because during the week before last we noticed that the Columbia was receding very fast, leaving but about nine feet of water on the bars at the mouth of the Willamette. Well [illegible] last swept [illegible] depth of [illegible] before. Those obstructions have been great and no [illegible] nature [illegible] to remove them.

Improvements.—[illegible] surprised [illegible] the [illegible] corner of First and Morrison streets [illegible] The large [illegible] ly painted and [illegible] beautiful workmanship [illegible] private [illegible] took a glance [illegible] elegantly fitted [illegible] host S. D. Smith [illegible] were at once [illegible] fully getting [illegible] respects [illegible] a hotel and we [illegible] patronage [illegible]

Clatsop Recruits.—We are [illegible] people of Clatsop county [illegible] raising their [illegible] followed by their attendance [illegible] a band of music and the [illegible] ters and friends were [illegible] Sarkid. We hear that the [illegible] the service are generally young men [illegible] vicinity [illegible] are most of the [illegible] volunteers [illegible] We hope they all may do the State good service and them selves much credit.

A Costly Cake.—The fur cape which was seized by Collector Gillette a few weeks [illegible] in infraction of the revenue laws [illegible] on arrival here from Victoria [illegible] to the owner on Tuesday under the provisions of an act of Congress in the year 1862 which authorizes the Collector to release property to the owner when seized under such circumstances, upon payment of the appraised value when it does not exceed $1,000. The cape was valued at $1 5 which was paid here, and may be added to the original purchase money $90 in Victoria.

A Cake that Might as Well have been all Dough.—Some one who having committed that immortal career felt like propitiating fate and the printer all at once sent us a fine cake. Now there is at the head of the stairs [illegible] our office another Printing Office which takes in Job Printing, and the types which work there are a hungry wolfish looking set, never expecting or receiving any of the urbanities [illegible] ments of new married folks, and to these unfortunate ghouls did that cake find its way. Probably they waylaid and confiscated it. We suppose it was a sponge cake, for it was thoroughly sponged when we heard of it. So we merely advise the world that these fell waylay in [illegible] to do just such [illegible] as this.

A Few Left.—Chances have taken rapidly for a few days past in Mr. Piers [illegible] raffle and but a few remain to be disposed of which are to be chanced between this and Saturday, when the raffle will come off at the Agency of Grover & Baker's machines on that evening. An inspection of the articles will be sufficient to induce any person to take a chance. A superb machine, handsome garments for ladies and children, embroidery, etc., make up the list of prizes.

Recorder's Court.—The case of the City vs. Joseph Webber, charged with conducting a hurdy gurdy saloon without license, was heard before the Recorder yesterday, and defendant fined $100 and costs, which was paid, and an appeal was taken to the Circuit Court. By stipulation between the Attorneys in the cause, the case will be tried to day at one o'clock. The Recorder has the transcript and papers prepared which will be filed this morning. One other case, in which the defendant was discharged, and the plaintiff adjudged to pay costs, terminated the business of the day.

The Supper.—Messrs. Bergman & Naucke, 105 First street, prepared the supper at the Jewish Ladies Ball on Tuesday evening, and the elegant manner in which it was gotten up attested their skill as caterers to the delicate taste of a fine assembly. Last evening they spread a very fine assortment of choice edibles in this office as a festival treat to the printers, and it was good. We can conscientiously recommend their confectionary, cake, etc., to the public.

Masonic.—At the annual communication of Harmony Lodge, No. 12, A. F. and A. M., held December 26th, 1864, the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year: John McCraken, W. M.; A. G. Walling, S. W.; A. B. Richardson, J. W.; D. M. Lyon, Treasurer; J. D. Holman, Secretary; James Burk, Tyler. The officers of Willamette and Harmony Lodge were installed on Tuesday evening.

Severe Storm.—A severe storm of wind and rain prevailed in our midst from Tuesday evening until last evening, which has set our streets over flowing with water, filled cellars and done some considerable damage to newly graded corners, by washing down embankments. A new building in the southern part of the city, yet unfinished, owned by Mr. Mendenhall, was blown to the ground.

The Idaho Insane.—We are informed by private letter from Lewiston, that the Territorial Legislature of Idaho has passed an act authorizing Gov. Lyon to contract with Messrs. Hawthorn & Loryea of East Portland for the keeping of all insane persons in that Territory, to be forwarded to this place.

Drift of Oats.—The steamer [illegible] received a cargo of oats at [illegible] wharf in this city yesterday, for the Quartermaster's Department at Fort Vancouver. To-day a large proportion of the freight of the steamer [illegible] will be oats for the Dalles. The Willamette Valley furnishes all this—and very much more.

Willamette Theatre.—This place of amusement will be opened to the public this evening and a fine bill is offered for the patronage of the play goers. See advertisement and bill of the day for full particulars.

From the Dalles.—The steamer [illegible] arrived from the Cascades last evening bringing the passengers of the steamer [illegible] and Wells Fargo [illegible] Express from the Dalles.

The "Advocate" and the Fair.—We willingly give the Editor of the *Advocate* the benefit of a personal explanation in our columns.

[illegible]

We have been surprised at the Oregonian's strictures upon the [illegible] Ladies' Fair in behalf of the Commission. We intended most heartily to commend the work, regarding it as eminently [illegible] Our remarks in regard to the [illegible] were not made [illegible] were not especially interested [illegible] others were, and we were [illegible] it, too, was a [illegible] farther from our [illegible] kind word [illegible] least of all the [illegible] and hearts have [illegible] They sought [illegible] amusement [illegible] their plans were [illegible] ented. If we have written [illegible] disparage, we deeply regret it. We much prefer [illegible] ward a paper that is usually right and not [illegible] at and magnify [illegible] prepared for the treatment which we have received of the Oregonian, and deeply regret what has transpired. Editor of the Advocate.

GEO. W. MURRAY,
NOTARY PUBLIC.
[illegible]

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. of O. F.
[illegible]

DOCTORS
CHAPMAN & WATKINS,
PHYSICIANS, SURGEONS AND [illegible]
Office—Cor. Washington and Front Sts
J. A. CHAPMAN, M.D. — WM. H. WATKINS, M.D.
[illegible]

J. R. CARDWELL,
DENTIST
[illegible] PATRONS [illegible]
OFFICE—[illegible] CARDWELL [illegible]

G. H. MACK,
DENTIST.
No. 10 Alder Street, [illegible]

The Lungs are the Great Labratory of the Human System.—[illegible] Allen's Lung Balsam [illegible]
SMITH & DAVIS, Agents [illegible]

A Word to the Aged.—[illegible]
Dr. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.
[illegible]

Le Doyen's Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock AND IODIDE ALTERATIVE is the [illegible]

"A Slight Cold," Coughs.—[illegible] *Brown's Bronchial Troches* [illegible] *Military Officers and Soldiers should have them, as they can be carried in the pocket and taken as occasion requires.*
REDINGTON & CO., San Francisco, Agents for the Pacific Coast.

GLORIOUS NEWS

FOR

YOUNG AMERICA!!

SANTA CLAUS

Has arrived in town and established his

HEAD-QUARTERS

AT

M'CORMICK'S BOOK STORE!

105 Front Street, (opposite Mount Hood

Where he has opened his Budget of

TOYS,
GIFTS, and
PRESENTS

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!!!

And which he is prepared to distribute

FREE TO ALL!

(who have money to pay for them.)

SANTA CLAUS' PROCLAMATION!

I, SANTA CLAUS—[illegible]
[illegible] PRESENTS [illegible]
AT McCORMICK'S on FRONT STREET [illegible]
[illegible] GIFTS to Cash Customers [illegible]
MERRY CHRISTMAS [illegible] HAPPY NEW YEAR
[illegible]
SANTA CLAUS' HEADQUARTERS,
McCORMICK'S BOOK STORE
[illegible]

Oregon Steam Navigation Company
NOTICE.
A[illegible]
Portland, Dec. [illegible] 1864

1864. 1864.
KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.,
[illegible]
COMMISSION MERCHANTS!
Farming Implements,
AND MACHINES,
Garden, Field and Grass Seeds
[illegible]
FLOUR, GRAIN, BACON, GROCERIES,
Provisions, Etc.
[illegible]

AGRICULTURAL GOODS.
[illegible]
KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.

Safes! Safes!
A[illegible]
KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.

B[illegible] of F[illegible] Ashmans Butter
G[illegible]
KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.

25 Tons Pink and Bayou Beans
T[illegible]
KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.

Rubber Belting.
ALL WIDTHS [illegible] AGRICULTURAL [illegible]
KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.

Holiday Presents!!

H. SINSHEIMER,
Front street, next door to the Post Office,
[illegible]
DIRECT FROM NEW YORK,
[illegible]

FANCY GOODS!

MASON & HAMLIN'S
MELODEONS,
AND
Cabinet Organs!
MUSIC AND MUSIC BOOKS!
[illegible]
Musical Instruments,
[illegible]
San Francisco Prices!
[illegible]

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED [illegible]
[illegible]

HAMBURG KUEMMEL!
Also [illegible]
East India Bitters!
[illegible]
FRENCH AND AMERICAN BRANDIES!
Bourbon Whisky!
AND
California Wine.
—ALSO—
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS!
FOR FAMILY USE
[illegible]
HERMAN [illegible]
D[illegible] 1864—dtf

MUSIC!

FANCY GOODS!

AND TOYS!
FOR
CHRISTMAS!

CHRISTMAS ANTHEMS,
CHRISTMAS HYMNS
AND
Christmas Presents!
[illegible]

E. G. RANDALL,
Corner of First and Alder Streets,
HAS A
LARGER AND FINER STOCK!
Than Ever Before.
Call and See them.
[illegible] dtf

NEW SALT DEPOT!
F[illegible] SALT IN NEW SACKS [illegible] 50 AND 100
[illegible]
CHINA [illegible] SALMON [illegible]
IMPERIAL [illegible] NACHBOCADY [illegible]
[illegible]

DRIED FRUITS!
[illegible]

Special Notice.
D. H. HENDEE, PHOTOGRAPHIST,
H[illegible] REMOVED [illegible]
New and Elegant Rooms,
[illegible]
Special attention given to taking Children and Family Groups.
[illegible]

J. L. GUMBINNER,
Front Street, Portland,
W[illegible]
GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS!
CLOTHING,
Boots and Shoes, &c.,
SAN FRANCISCO COST PRICE!
D[illegible] 1864 dtf

DR. R. B. WILSON,
Office—No. 5 Stark Street,
[illegible]
Residence—North Fourth street
[illegible]

DR. R. GLISAN,
[illegible]
Office on Front Street,
[illegible]
Residence North Fifth St., bet. C and D
[illegible] PORTLAND, OREGON [illegible] dtf

DR. C. ELWERT,
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND ACCOUCHEUR.
Office—Corner of First and Oak Streets
PORTLAND, OREGON.
[illegible]

W. N. GRISWOLD, M. D.,
HOMEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
[illegible]
Office [illegible] Vaughn's Building,
[illegible]

DR. H. M'KINNELL,
HOMEOPATHIST,
T[illegible] MILD AND EFFICIENT [illegible]
[illegible] dtf

DR. HICKLIN,
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND ACCOUCHEUR
[illegible]
Office No. 96 Front Street,
[illegible]

DR. C. W. KIRCHNER,
GERMAN PHYSICIAN, SURGEON & ACCOUCHEUR
Office in Vaughn's brick Building,
[illegible] streets
OFFICE HOURS [illegible]
RESIDENCE [illegible]

A. SHOUE,
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND ACCOUCHEUR,
Office—Cor. Front and Washington Sts.,
RESIDENCE [illegible]
OFFICE HOURS [illegible] 6 P. M.
[illegible] FEMALE DISEASES [illegible]
[illegible] 1864 [illegible] tf

DR. H. ZIPF,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office First street between Washington and Stark streets,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
[illegible] dtf

Hostetter's Bitters.
WINDOW GLASS,
QUICKSILVER,
[illegible]
CRUCIBLES,
ACIDS,
[illegible]
HODGE & CALEF
Dealers in Drugs, Paints and Oils
[illegible] Front Street

Kerosene.
WHITE LEAD,
LINSEED OIL,
TURPENTINE,
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WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE Ladies and Gentlemen of Portland and the State of Oregon that he is Manufacturing and keeps on hand all kinds of FANCY FURS which he is able to sell at
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All Furs [illegible] at this Establishment Warranted to be as represented.
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The Longing

Heavy vapors coldly hover
Round the vale I cannot flee;
Outlet could I but discover,
Blessed were escape to me!
Ever green in fair dominion,
Yonder hill-top I survey;
Thither, could I find the pinion,
Thither would I wing my way.

Hark! I hear the music ringing—
Harmonies of heavenly calm,
And the gentle winds are bringing—
Breathing—bringing down the balm.
Yonder, fruits are golden glowing,
Beckoning from the leafy shade;
And the blooms that there are blowing
Never doth the winter fade.

Beautiful must life be yonder,
Suns eternal there to see;
Airs that on the mountain wander,
Oh, how healing must they be!
Yet before me rolls a river—
Roaringly its waters roll;
And its waves that swell forever,
Send a horror to my soul.

On the surge a boat is tossing,
But, alas! the pilot fails;
Enter—enter, dare the crossing—
Breath spiritual fills the sails.
Guaranties no gods concede thee;
Safety in believing dwells;
Only miracles can lead thee
To the Land of Miracles.—*Schiller.*

HUMOR OF THE TRENCHES.—The people, those of them at least who read the papers, know that ever since we have been in front of Petersburg, there has been one particular hot place in front of the Second Corps, which the humor of the soldiers christened Fort Hell. The name was so apropos, so short, and rolled so glibly on the tongue, and the works being unnamed in general orders, that it grew by slow degrees in universal use, not only among the soldiers, but in high official circles. The work now bears in official papers the name of the lamented Sedgwick, but in the army it is still Fort Hell, and probably will remain so. This Fort, call it by either name that taste may dictate, is the scene of many of these ghastly gaieties. The other day, Colonel Brewster, commanding the work, observed one of the men intently at work on a nondescript missile. He had run several bullets until he had got one nearly as long as his finger, and in this way he was laboriously cutting notches along its entire length. The curiosity of the Colonel was excited, and he inquired as to the *cui bono.* "I'll show you directly, Colonel," was the reply, and he did so, finishing his work; at last he loaded his gun in the usual way, and then put his nondescript on top of it. Pointing his gun rebelwards, he fired, and his load went whirring and whirring with very much the noise of a good sized shell. "There," said the soldier, with entire satisfaction. "I've had a little shelling on my own account, and skeered them fellers over yonder." And undoubtedly some rebel had "ducked" when he heard the noise of that decidedly harmless "shell."

Another instance of fun I have heard which would never have been thought of by anybody but a soldier. They have a practice along our lines of getting up impromptu fire-works, after this wise: a soldier puts in a cartridge, and then a second one the powder of which has been wet. The gun is fired, and the wet powder of the extra cartridge goes flying through the air very much like a comet with an abreviated but exceedingly brilliant tail. Out of this, although the first bullet, or even the second, may carry death or mutilation across the rebel parapets, our boys extract a prime article of fun.

The humor of the trenches, just now, however, is provided by the Election Commissioners. There are shoals of these patriots in the army just now. Some of them are former officers of the army, whom it is impossible to frighten with any ordinary fire. The majority, however, are politicians, whose experience of war has been confined to party strife over offices of trust, honor, and emolument. The joke is to lure these gentlemen by various devices into some such locality as Fort Sedgwick, and then tell them some exciting stories as to the number, size, and destructiveness, of the rebel missiles that visit that particular spot. The old soldiers grow facetious in the same ratio that the politician becomes nervous, and generally manage to keep him in what he believes to be dangerous quarters, by making him think it is much more dangerous to retire. In this way the boys get to vote, and have their sport at the same time.—*Army Letter.*

A STRANGE STORY FROM RUSSIA.—A letter from St. Petersburg, in an English paper, mentions an extraordinary affair which lately occurred in the town of Orel, in Russia. A great local land owner had a large sum (forty-three thousand silver roubles) to receive through the post-office of that town. On applying for the amount he was told that the money could not be handed over to him unless he presented the office with five thousand silver roubles. He refused, and immediately reported the case to St. Petersburg and the money was paid over to him. But on the evening of the same day, as he was quietly smoking in his study, a loud ring was heard at the bell.

The servant, on opening the door, was instantly pinioned, and four men, their faces covered with black crape, rushed into the room. The land owner asked them what they wanted; they plainly told him he must hand over his forty-three thousand roubles. With the greatest coolness he went over to his strong box, opened it, seized a revolver which laid on the top shelf, and shot two of the robbers dead, the other two immediately taking to their heels. He then sent for assistance, the police, &c., and on the crape being removed from the faces of the dead men, they were recognized as the head of the police and his secretary. The body of the former has been removed to Nice for interment.

The Rocky Mountain *News*, of the 5th inst., says that nearly one hundred persons have been killed by the Indians along the Platte and Arkansas rivers since the beginning of the outbreaks, about three months since.

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The best means of imparting vigor to the broken-down frame and shattered constitution, which has yet been invented or discovered, is proffered to the feeble of both sexes and all ages in

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In the decline of life, the loss of vital force consequent upon physical decay can only be safely supplied by some vivifying preparation which recruits the strength and spirits, without entailing the exhaustion which is always the final effect of ordinary stimulants. We tender to the aged

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Thousands of ladies resort to it as a remedy for hysteria, fluttering of the heart, nervous headache, vertigo, general debility, and all peculiar disturbances and derangements to which, as a sex, they are subject. It cheers and enlivens the depressed mental powers, as well as strengthens the body, and its use is never followed by any reaction.

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BREAKFAST.

Beef Steak	10	Eggs—Scrambled	15
Pork Steak	10	Omelette	15
Mutton Chop	10	Salmon—Salt	10
Veal Cutlet	10	Salmon—Fresh	10
Porter House Steak	20	Mackerel	15
Tender Loin Steak	15	Mutton Stew	10
Sausage—Fried	10	Head Cheese	10
Liver—Fried	10	Fried Potatoes	5
Beef Steak and Onions	15	Hot Rolls	5
Ham and Eggs	25	Corn Bread	5
Ham	15	Pancakes	10
Milk Toast	10	Fritters	10
Dry Toast	5	Coffee and Tea—each	5
Eggs—Boiled	15	Chocolate	10

DINNER.

Soups.

Oyster Soup	15	Vegetable	10
Macaroni	10	Barley	10
Vermicelli	10	Rice	10
Roast Beef	10	Corned Beef and Cabbage	10
Roast Pork	10	Mutton Pot Pie	10
Roast Mutton	10	Beef Steak Pie	10
Roast Veal	10	Stewed Beef and Onions	10
Roast Lamb	10	Pork and Beans	10
Boiled Mutton	10	Roast Chicken	25
Boiled Tongue	10	Stewed Chicken	20
Boiled Ham	10		

Vegetables.

Potatoes, Boiled or Mashed	5	Beets	5
Parsnips	5	Cabbage	5
Turnips	5	Carrots	5

SUPPER,

Porter House Steak	20	Eggs—Fried	15
Sirloin Steak	15	Tripe—Plain	10
Sausage	10	Tripe—Batter	15
Beef Steak	10	Hot Rolls	5
Pork Steak	10	Corn Bread	5
Mutton Chop	10	Coffee	5
Pork Chop	10	Tea	5
Beef Steak and Onions	10	Chocolate	10
Mutton Stew	10	Apple sauce	5
Veal Cutlets—Breaded	15	Prune Sauce	5
Ham and Eggs	25	Pear Sauce	5
Eggs—Boiled	15	Honey	5

Pastry.

Cranberry Pie	5	Indian Pudding	5
Apple Pie	5	Apple Dumplings	5
Custard Pie	5	Pound Cake	5
Rice Pudding	5	Sponge Cake	5
Bread Pudding	5	Fancy Cake	5

MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

Portland, Nov. 28th, 1864. dtf

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THREAD EDGINGS, JACONET EDGINGS and Insertions, Emb'd Jaconet Bands, Emb'd Lace and Muslin Curtains, Infants' Waists and Robes, Emb'd Cashmere Caps and Hoods, Emb'd and Hem Stitch L. C. H'dfs, Nainsook Muslin, Soft Jaconets, Checked and Corded Muslins, Swiss, Soft Brussels Nett, Bobinett, Sampler Canvass, &c., &c.

SHEETINGS—5-4, 6-4, 8-4, 9-4, 10-4, Long Cloth and Shirting Cottons, White Manchester and Marseilles Quilts, Colored Quilts and Blankets, Crib Quilts and Blankets, Crash, Huck Towels, Bath Towels, Cheap Towels for Hotels, Napkins, Doylies, Shirting Linens, Flannels, Table Damasks and Damask Table Covers, Birdseye Diaper, &c., &c.

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GENTS' FINE BEAVER SUITS, Bus Coats, Pants, Boots, Socks, Hdfs, Hats, Wool Gloves, Calf Dress Gloves, Scarfs and Ties.

BOYS' BLACK, GREY AND BROWN JACKETS, PANTS, Linen B Shirts, Socks, Emb'd Joseys, Sheepskins, Boys' Frock Coats, Sack and Cape Over Coats, &c.

1,000 GROSS REAL GRENADIAN BUTTONS, &c. for Tailor's use; Silk Dress Buttons, Velvet do, Steel, Jet and Silvered Buttons, Bugle Buttons, Black and White Ball Buttons, and an endless variety of Trimming Buttons for Ladies and Children's use. For sale by

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HAVING visited the different precincts for the purpose of collecting taxes, notice is hereby given that I will be at the court house from and after this date until the 20th day of January, A. D. 1865, for the purpose of receiving taxes. I call attention to the law in relation to the collection of taxes, passed at the last Legislature, making it the duty of the Sheriff to collect all taxes assessed, for county and State purposes, and make his return by the 1st day of February ensuing. All taxes unpaid at that time will be collected as upon execution, including mileage, &c.
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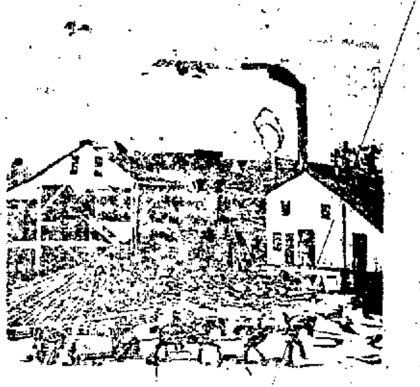

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1st.—For the erection and completion of the Building, in accordance with said plans and specifications, estimating cost thereof with and without heating apparatus.

2d.—For the erection and completion of a part only of said building, viz: Erecting, enclosing, and outside finishing of the building, finishing the basement, hall, offices, and rooms, on the south side of the main hall on the first floor, and for running all the stairs and laying all the floors in accordance with said plans and specifications, estimating cost thereof with and without heating apparatus.

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